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Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, DC 20054

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In the Matter of)	OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
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Amendment of 73.202(b))	MM Docket No. 98-159
Table of Allotments)	
FM Broadcast Stations)	
(Wallace, ID and Bigfork,MT))	

To: Nancy Joyner

Allocations Branch

COMMENTS IN OPPOSITION TO NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

Pursuant to 47 CFR 1.420, Bee Broadcasting, Inc. ("BBI") ^{1/2} respectfully submits these Comments in opposition to the referenced Rule Making proceeding, which proposes to amend the FM Table of Allotments by reallotting channel 264C from Wallace, Idaho to Bigfork, Montana and to modify the permit of unbuilt station KSIL (FM) accordingly. See Modification of FM and TV Authorizations to Specify a New Community of License, 4 FCC Rcd 4870 (1989), recon. granted in part, 5 FCC Rcd 7094 (1990).

DISCUSSION

Alpine Broadcasting, Ltd. is the permittee of unbuilt station KSIL (FM), Wallace, Idaho. <u>See BPH-960916MD</u>. It has filed a Petition to reallot channel 264C from Wallace, Idaho to Bigfork, Montana, nearly 100 miles away. Without even addressing the question properly raised in the <u>NPRM --</u> whether Bigfork is an

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BBI is the licensee of, <u>inter alia</u>, stations KDBR (FM) and KKBZ (FM), Kalispell, Montana, within the area sought to be served by the proposed reallotment of the Idaho FM station.

appropriate "community" for FM allotment purposes, ^{2/} respect-fully submits that the public would be better served by (i) a reallocation of channel 264C to Kellogg, Idaho, rather than to Bigfork, Montana, ^{3/} or (ii) by no reallotment at all.

First, the attached engineering report confirms that channel 264C could be reallotted from Wallace, ID to Kellogg, ID, consistent with the FCC's rules. <u>See</u> Appendix B.

Second, whether or not channel 264C is reallotted to Kellogg, Idaho or simply remains at Wallace, Idaho, 'Petitioner's proposed reallotment of this Station to Montana is not in the public interest because it would eliminate new FM service to underserved areas of Idaho. For example, reallotment of channel 264C to Kellogg -- or leaving the allocation at Wallace -- will provide a first aural service to approximately 1,637 persons.

See Appendix B. The provision of new FM service to "white areas" is the FCC's highest allocations priority. See Revision of FM Assignment Priorities, supra, 90 FCC 2d at 90 note 3. Moreover, keeping the allotment at Wallace or making a reallocation to Kellogg also would provide a second full-time aural service to

The unincorporated area of Flathead County known as "Bigfork" has no municipal government, no police force, no mayor, no chamber of commerce, and -- most significantly --no identifiable boundaries. See Appendix A.

Alternatively, the proposed move of this station from Wallace, Idaho, some 100 miles into Montana should merely be denied, thereby preserving new FM service to underserved areas of Idaho.

<u>See</u> Appendix B.

^{*} Kellogg is in Shoshone County, Idaho, the county seat of which is Wallace, ID. Kellogg is approximately 10 miles from Wallace.

2,176 persons. <u>See</u> Appendix B. By contrast, the proposed reallotment to Bigfork, Montana would provide NO first full-time aural service and a second aural service to only 10 persons. <u>See</u> Appendix B. Indeed, the reallotment to Kellogg, or maintaining the new FM service at Wallace, would result in new service to over 11,000 persons who are now underserved (four aural services or less), while granting Petitioner's proposal to reallot the unbuilt station to Bigfork, Montana would result in new service to only 2,341 persons who are underserved. <u>See</u> Appendix B.

Third, assuming that a reallotment were to be made, the historic town of Kellogg, ID -- about ten (10) miles from Wallace -- is more deserving of a "first local aural service" than is Bigfork, MT. Kellogg's population is more than twice that of Bigfork (2,591 vs. 1,100). Both Kellogg and Wallace (pop. 1,010) are incorporated cities with numerous civic groups, governmental units and chambers of commerce. See Appendix C. Bigfork is merely a seasonal recreational area. See Appendix A.

In sum, the reallotment of channel 264C to Bigfork would unlawfully defeat one of the FCC's cardinal allocation priorities — the provision of new service to "white" areas. Reallocation of the permitted facility to Kellogg, or leaving the allotment at Wallace, would result in a preferential arrangement of FM allotments. See Revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures, supra, 90 FCC 2d at 92; Benton, Arkansas et al., 3 FCC Rcd 4840 (1988).

In view of the foregoing, the proposed reallotment of channel 264C from Idaho to Bigfork, Montana should be DENIED.

Respectfully submitted,

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Counsel for BBI

October 26, 1998

cc: Ted Kramer, Esq. (Counsel for Petitioner)

SWORN STATEMENT

BENNY BEE, SR., being duly sworn does state:

- 1. My name is Benny Bee, Sr., and I am the principal owner of radio stations in Flathead County, Montana, in which I also reside full-time. I am aware of an FCC proceeding (Docket 98-159) in which the Permittee of a Wallace, Idaho FN station is attempting to move its unbuilt facility to "Bigfork, MT," an unincorporated area within Flathead County, Montana.
- 2. In a study to be presented to the FCC along with this Statement, my engineers have determined that the reallocation of channel 264C from Idaho to Montana would deprive the public of new FM service to underserved areas -- including new FM service to areas and populations without any full-time aural service ("white areas"). Bigfork and all of Flathead County, Montana are already well served by numerous AM and FM stations.
- described by Petitioner as "Bigfork" does not have identifiable boundaries. It is not incorporated, has no mayor, no city government, no police force and no chamber of commerce. As stated to us by the Land Services Division of the Flathead Regional Development Office, there is no hard evidence regarding the population of "Bigfork" because there are no boundaries; not even the school system serving the Bigfork area has clear boundaries that identify "Bigfork." Executed this 23rd day of October 1998.

Benny Bee, Sr

ENGINEERING EXHIBITS IN SUPPORT OF COMMENTS REGARDING NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING

October 23, 1998

Bee Broadcasting, Inc.
FM Channel 264C = 100.7 Megahertz
Bigfork, Montana
Wallace, Idaho
Kellogg, Idaho
MM Docket No. 98-159



EXHIBIT E-1 ENGIN**EERING** STATEMENT

The information and data contained within these engineering exhibits were prepared on behalf of Bee Broadcasting, Inc. ("Bee"), in support of comments to *Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, MM Docket No. 98-159, RM-9290, released September 4, 1998. By its comments Bee counterproposes the reallotment of Channel 264C from Wallace to Kellogg, Idaho or, in the alternative, argues that no reallotment from Wallace should be made.

I. COUNTERPROPOSAL AT KELLOGG, IDAHO

Kellogg is located in Shoshone County, less than 10 miles from the county seat of Wallace, and has a 1990 U.S. Census population of 2,591 persons. A site restriction is necessary for the Channel 264C allotment at Kellogg, and the following geographic coordinates meet the requisite minimum mileage separation requirements of § 73.207:

North Latitude: 47 degrees, 27 minutes, 36 seconds West Longitude: 115 degrees, 54 minutes, 04 seconds

The counterproposal is mutually exclusive with the present authorization for station KSIL(FM) at Wallace, FCC File No. BPH-960916MD.

II. SECTION 307(b) STUDY

A study was conducted to determine the number of AM and FM stations that provide fultime aural broadcast service to the areas contained within the 60 dBµ service contours of Class C facilities at Bigfork and Kellogg. Exhibit E-2 is a map showing the 60 dBµ F(50,50) service contours of two Class C stations each operating with an effective radiated power of 100 kW and a height above average terrain of 600 meters at the proposed allotment reference sites for Bigfork and Kellogg.

Pursuant to established Commission policy, full-time AM reception service is defined by the station's nighttime interference-free contour for non-Class A stations, and by the 0.5 mV/m groundwave contour for Class A stations. Nighttime interference studies were performed for all full-time AM facilities within the vicinity of the area under study to determine those AM stations that provide nighttime interference-free service within any portion of the contours from the Bigfork and Kellogg facilities.

Also studied were the 60 dBµ contours of all FM stations in the area to determine those that provide service to portions of the areas within the Bigfork and Kellogg contours. For non-Class C FM stations operating at less than maximum facilities, technical parameters were based on maximum facilities for the class of station under study. In the case of Class C stations, either the actual operating parameters or a minimum 300-meter height above average terrain and 100-kW effective radiated power was assumed, whichever is greater. Exhibits E-9 and E-10 are tabulations of the stations that provide full-time aural broadcast reception within the areas encompassed by the Kellogg and Bigfork facilities, respectively.

Exhibits E-3 and E-4 are "spaghetti" maps depicting the Kellogg and Bigfork contours and the contours of all AM and FM stations that provide full-time aural service within the allotment service areas. Exhibits E-5A through E-5F are a series of maps showing the service area of the proposed Channel 264C allotment at Kellogg, and the service contours of the existing full-time aural services within the Kellogg contour. Blue shading is used to represent the areas that receive a specific number of full-time aural broadcast services corresponding to the number indicated in the title block of the map. Exhibit E-7 tabulates these data and indicates the land areas and populations within the identified regions. Exhibits E-6A through E-6F depict the same information for the Channel 264C allotment at Bigfork, and exhibit E-8 tabulates the results.

The results of this study indicate that the reallotment of Channel 264C to Kellogg, rather than Bigfork is preferable under the Commission's allotment priorities. [See Revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures 90 FCC 2d 88 (1982).] In fact, the reallotment of Channel 264C from Wallace to Kellogg will provide a first aural service to 1,637 persons and a second aural service to 2,176 persons. By comparison, the reallotment of Channel 264C to Bigfork would serve no white area population and would provide service to a mere 10 persons in the gray area.

III. METHODS

For each FM station presented in these exhibits, terrain elevation data from three to sixteen kilometers on radials spaced at one-degree azimuthal intervals, starting with True North, were extracted from the computerized thirty-second point elevation database version of *Elevation Data for North America*, available from the Department of Commerce, National Geophysical Data Center, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. A total of 161 points along each radial were linearly interpolated according to § 73.312(d). The height above average terrain along each of the 360 radials was computed by averaging the elevations between three and sixteen kilometers below the antenna radiation center in accordance with § 73.313(d)(3).

The locations of the 60 dB μ F(50,50) service contours were calculated according to the computer methods outlined in F.C.C. publication PB-249144, Field Strength Calculations for TV And FM Broadcasting. These computer methods use digitized data taken directly from the graph of § 73.333 Figure 1. Intermediate values are obtained using bivariate interpolation techniques for surface fitting.

Technical data for AM broadcast stations were obtained from the latest version of the FCC AM Engineering Database. Soil conductivities used in the determination of distances to the nighttime interference-free contours were derived from the computerized FCC M-3 soil conductivity database. Conductivity data were extracted for every one degree of azimuth.

For stations employing directional antenna systems, the Standard Radiation using the theoretical operating parameters contained within the AM Engineering Database was computed and used for inverse field strength. In the case of nondirectional stations, the effective field strengths at one kilometer were employed.

In accordance with § 73.183(e), the "equivalent-distance" (Kirke) method was used to determine the distances to the nighttime interference-free contours where more than one

conductivity zone exists over the path length. Distances to contours along intermediate azimuths were obtained mathematically by third order piecewise polynomial approximations.

IV. CONCLUSIONS

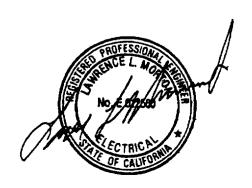
In conclusion, the following salient facts come to light from the aforementioned Section 307(b) analysis.

- The reallotment of Channel 264C to Kellogg will result in a first full-time aural service to 1,637 persons and a second full-time aural service to 2,176 persons. The reallotment of Channel 264C to Bigfork would provide no first full-time aural service and a second aural service to only 10 persons.
- The reallotment of Channel 264C to Kellogg would provide the community with its first local aural broadcast service.
- No other commercial Class C FM channel is available for allotment at Kellogg as an alternative to Channel 264C.
- Reallotment of Channel 264C to Kellogg will result in a third service to 1,132 persons, a fourth service to 4,948 persons, and a fifth service to 1,813 persons. Reallotment of Channel 264C to Bigfork would result in a third service to 320 persons, a fourth service to 287 persons, and a fifth service to 1,724 persons.
- The 60 dBμ service contour from Kellogg would encompass a total population of 108,697 persons, while the same contour from Bigfork would serve 83,961 persons.
- Reallotment of Channel 264C to Kellogg will result in new service to 11,706 persons that are now under-served by four aural services or less, which is equal to 10.8% of the total population within the service area at Kellogg. Reallotment of Channel 264C to Bigfork will result in new service to 2,341 persons that are now under-served, or 2.8% of the total population within the service area at Bigfork.

Lawrence L. Morton, P.E.

Consulting Engineer to Bee Broadcasting, Inc.

October 23, 1998



AFFIDAVIT

State of California)	
)	ss:
County of Los Angeles)	

Lawrence L. Morton, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says:

- That he is a qualified engineer,
- That he is a Registered Professional Engineer in the State of California,
- That he is a member of the Association of Federal Communications Consulting Engineers,
- That his qualifications are a matter of record with the Federal Communications Commission,
- That he has prepared many broadcast applications and engineering exhibits that have been filed with and granted by the Federal Communications Commission,
- That he has carried out such engineering work and that the results thereof are attached hereto and form part of this affidavit, and

• That the foregoing statement and the report regarding the aforementioned engineering wo are true and correct of his own knowledge.

Date: October 23, 1998

Lawrence L. Morton, P.E.

On October 23, 1998, before me, Linda Lu, a Notary Public, in and for the State of California, personally appeared Lawrence L. Morton known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

My Commission expires 11/30/99

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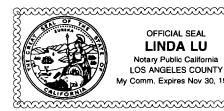
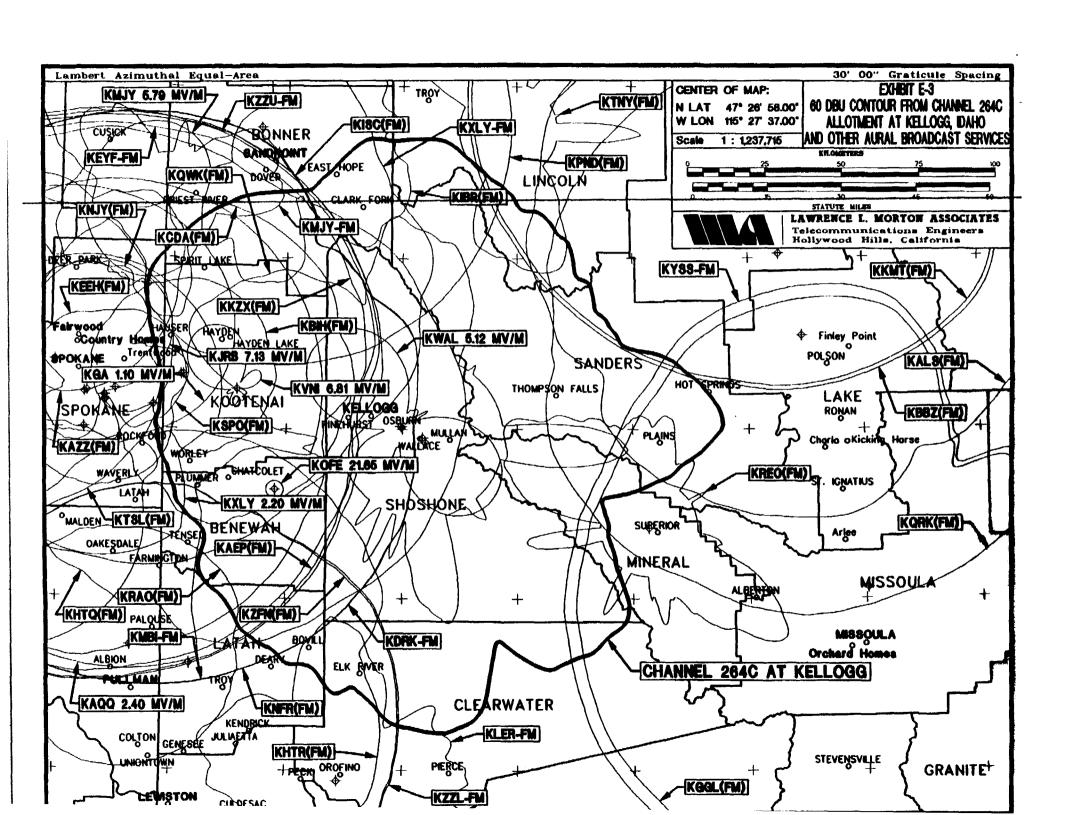
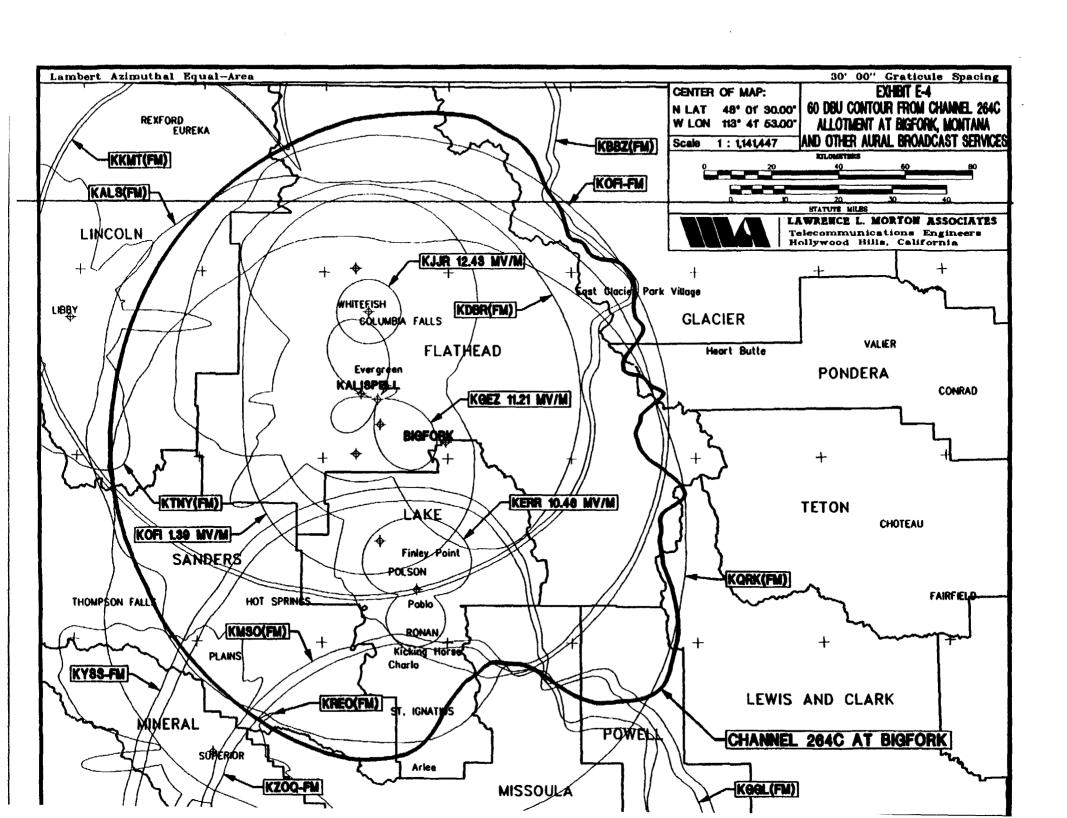
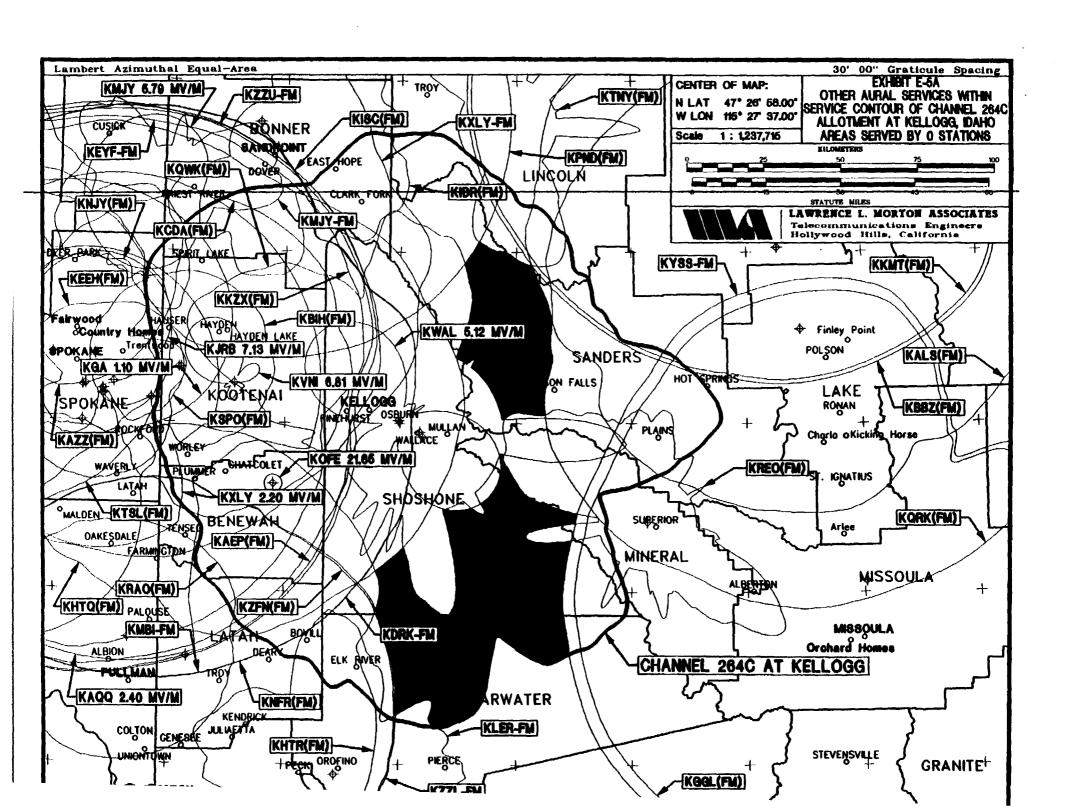


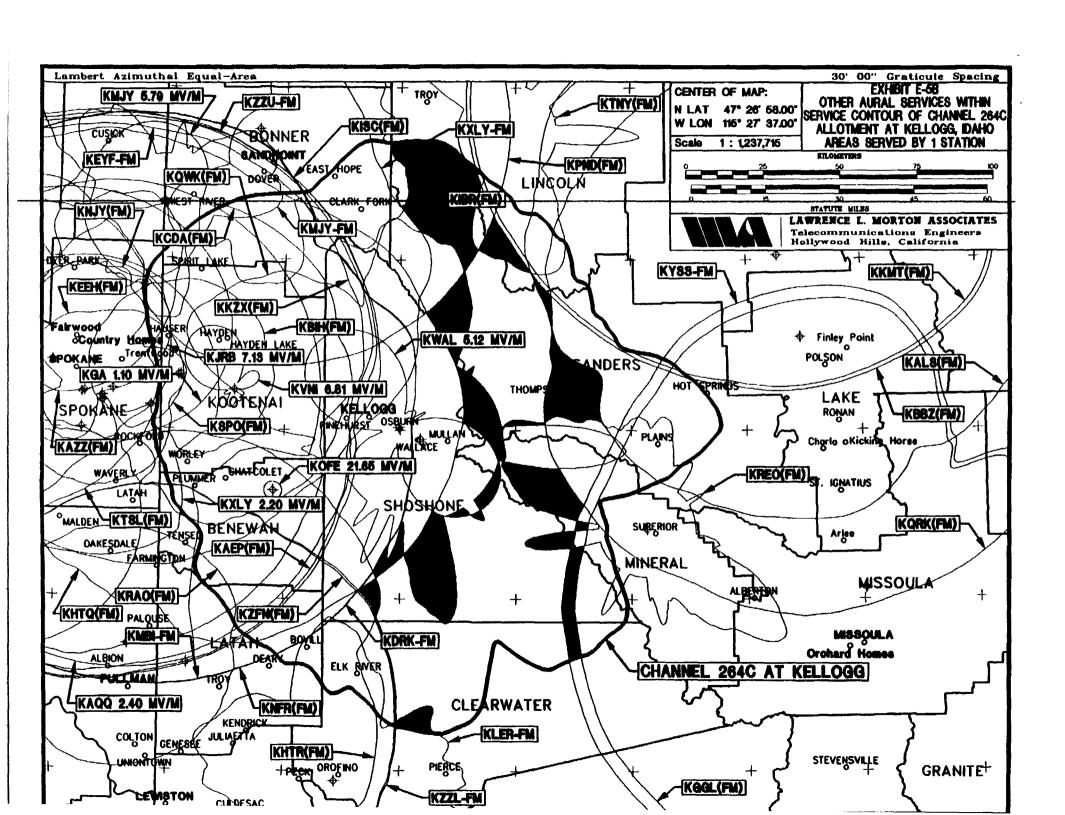
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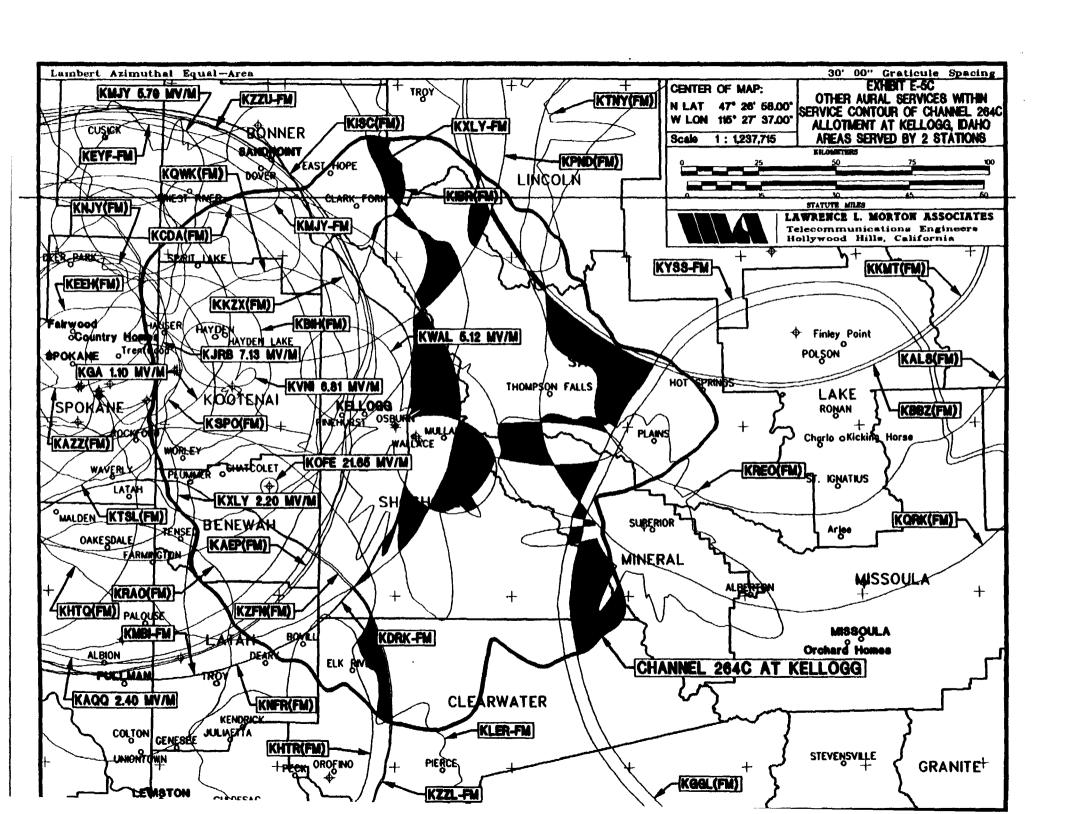
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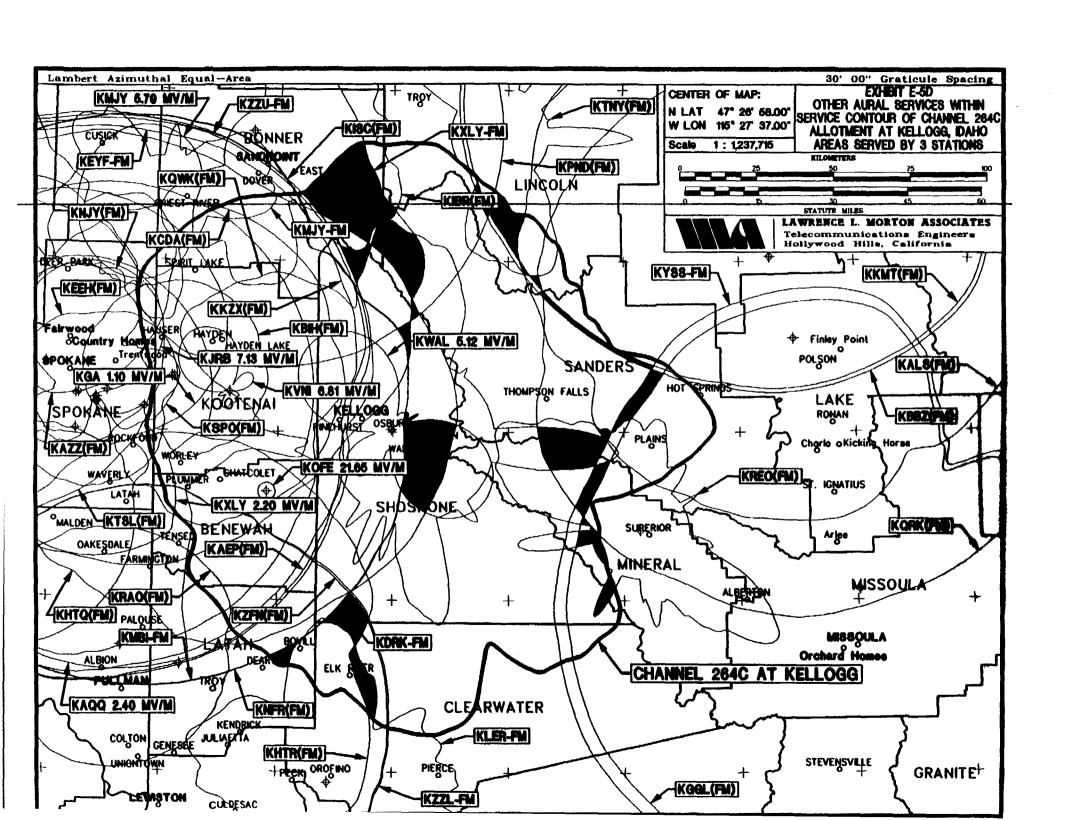


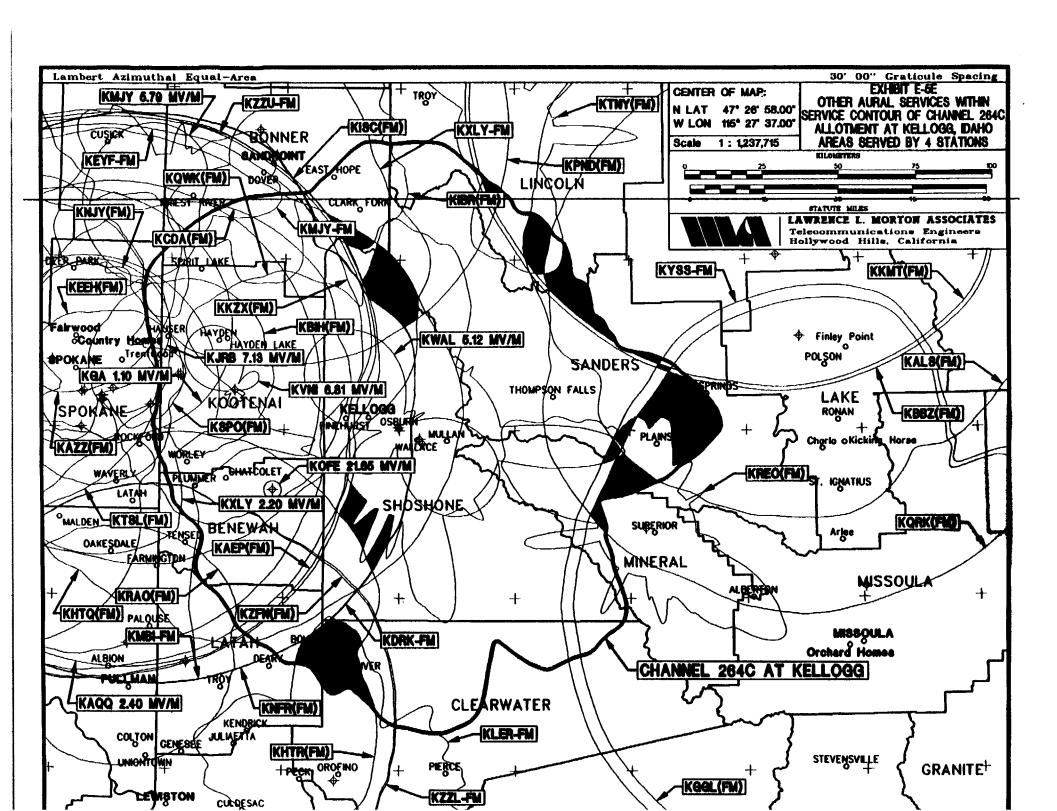


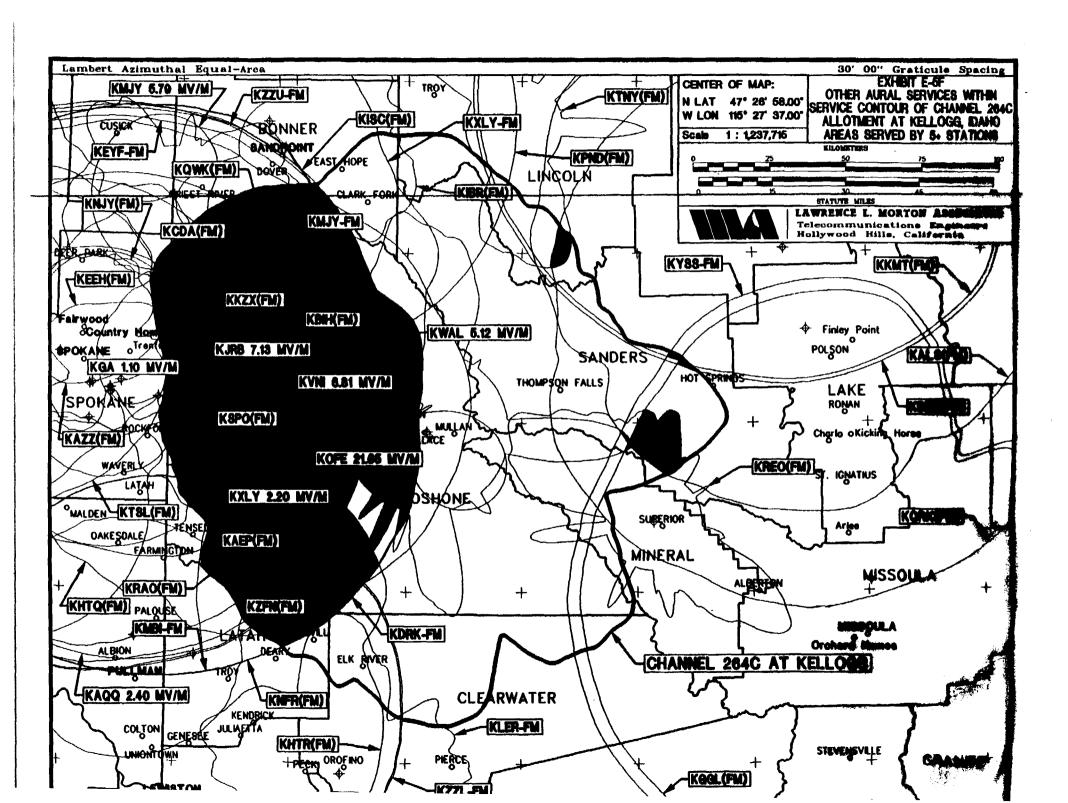


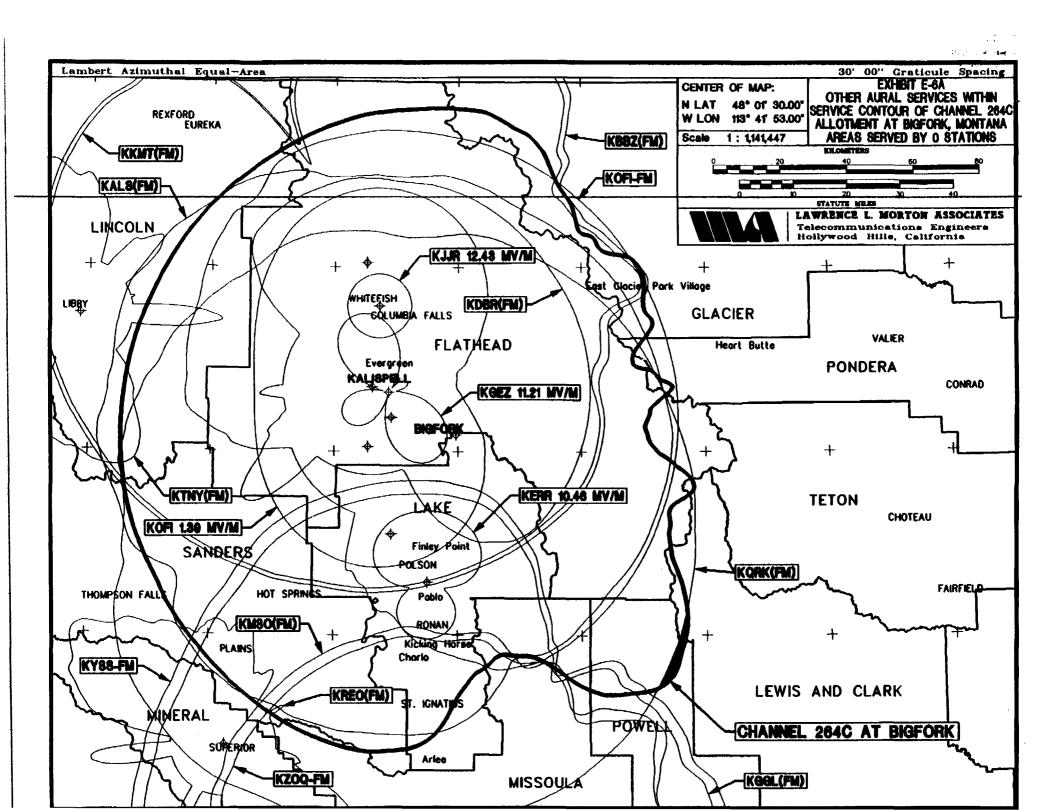


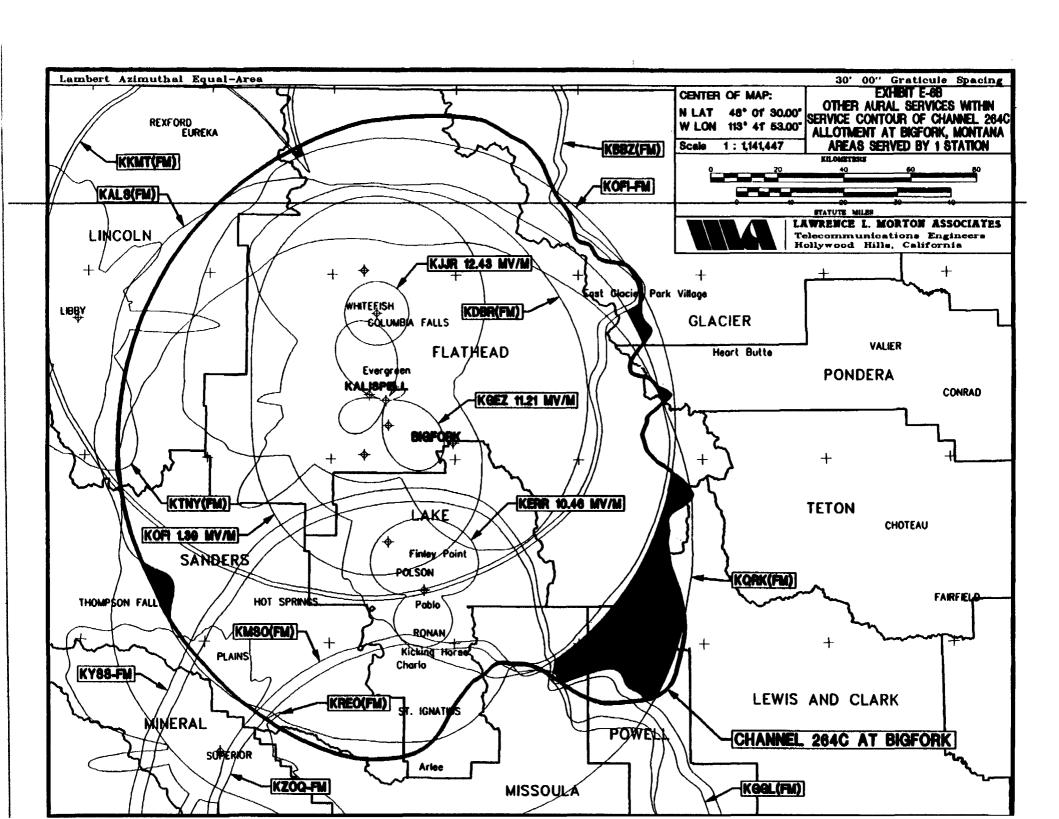


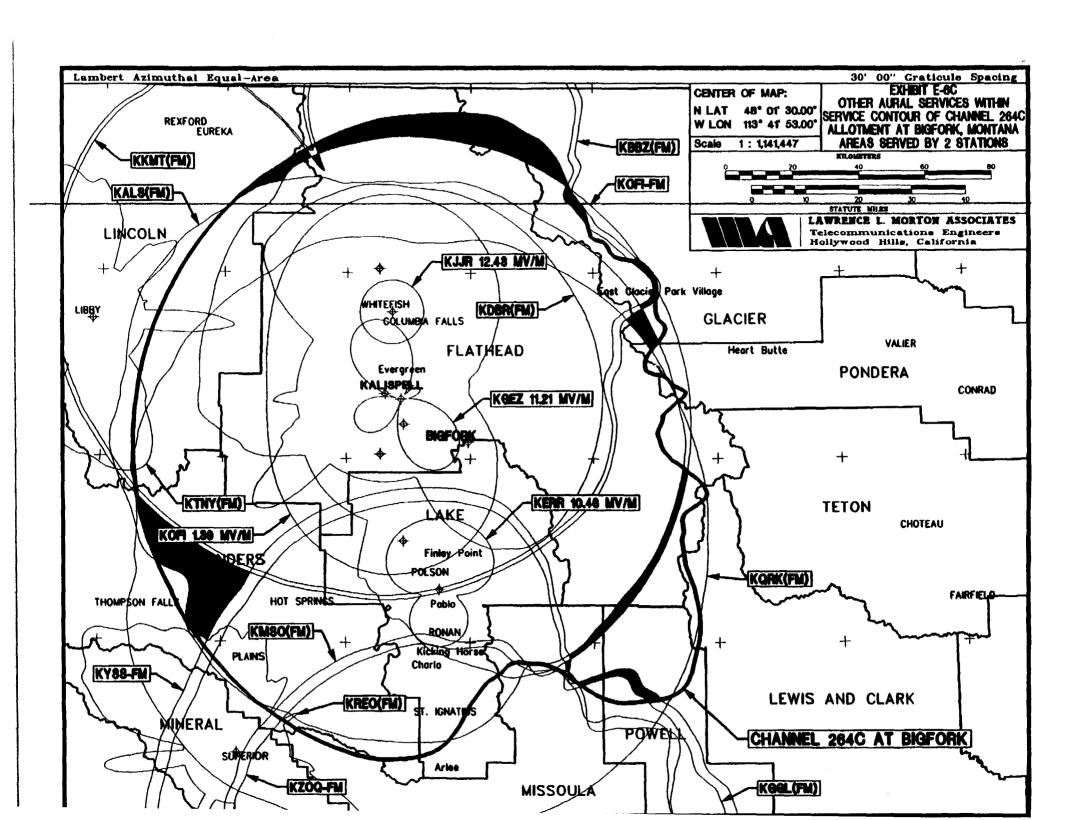


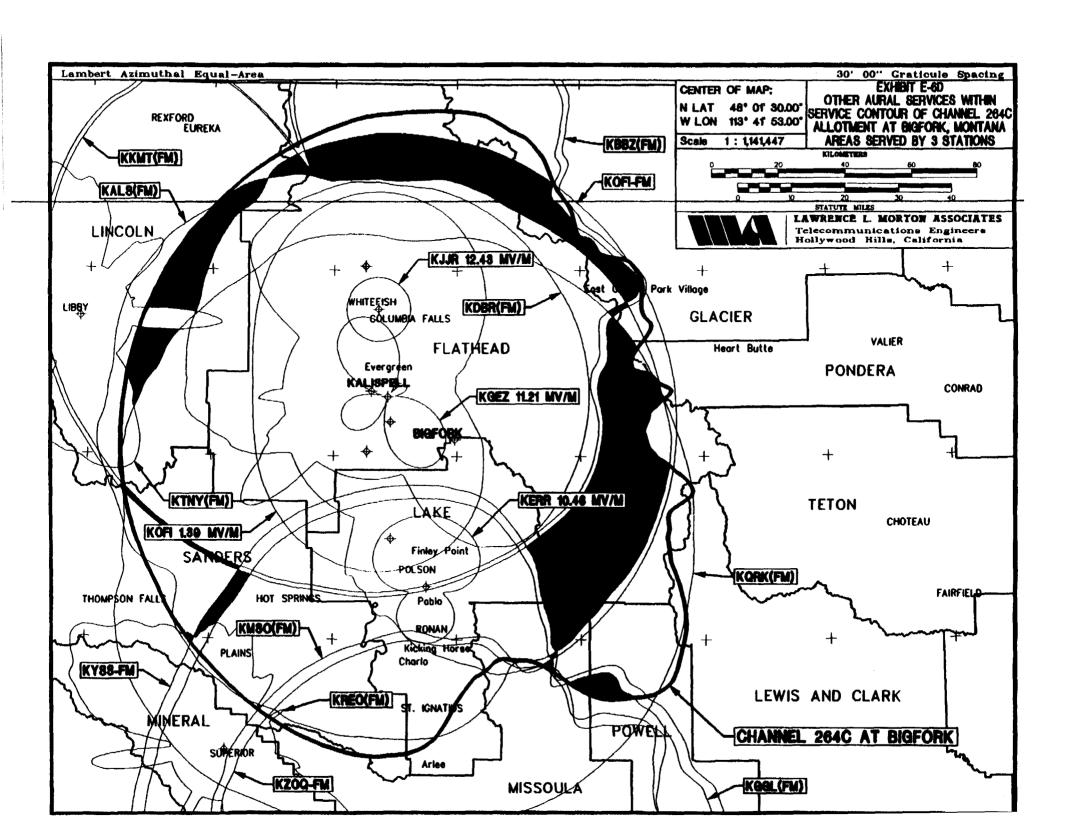


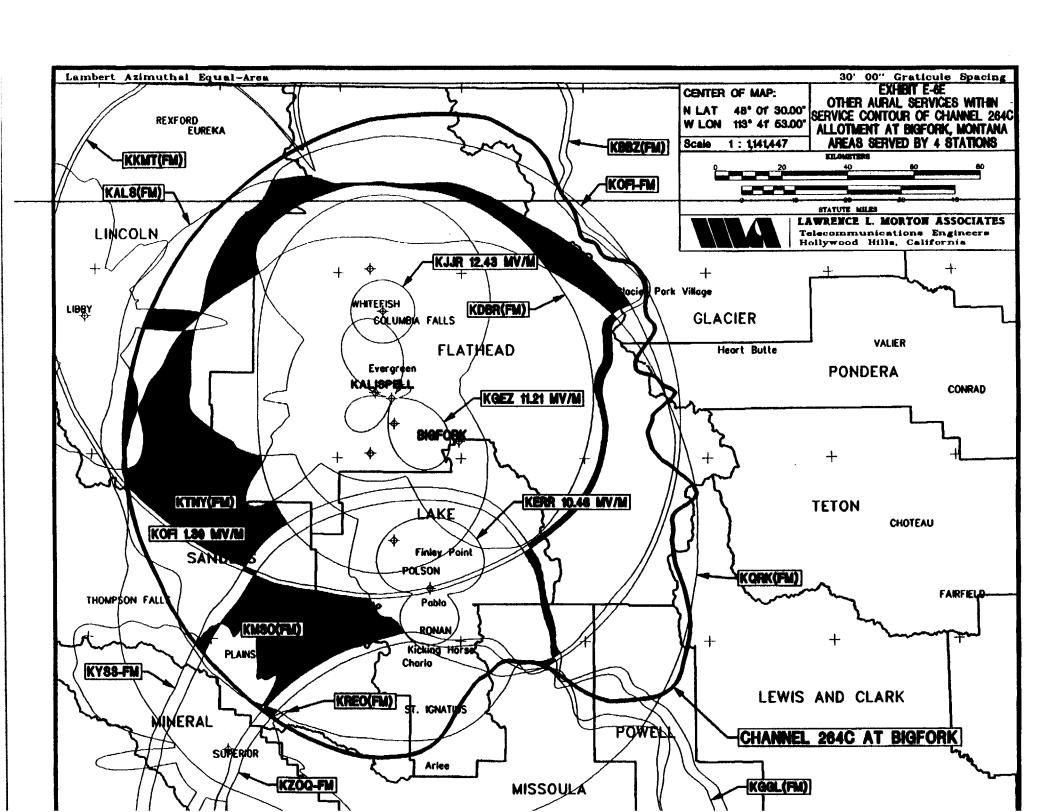












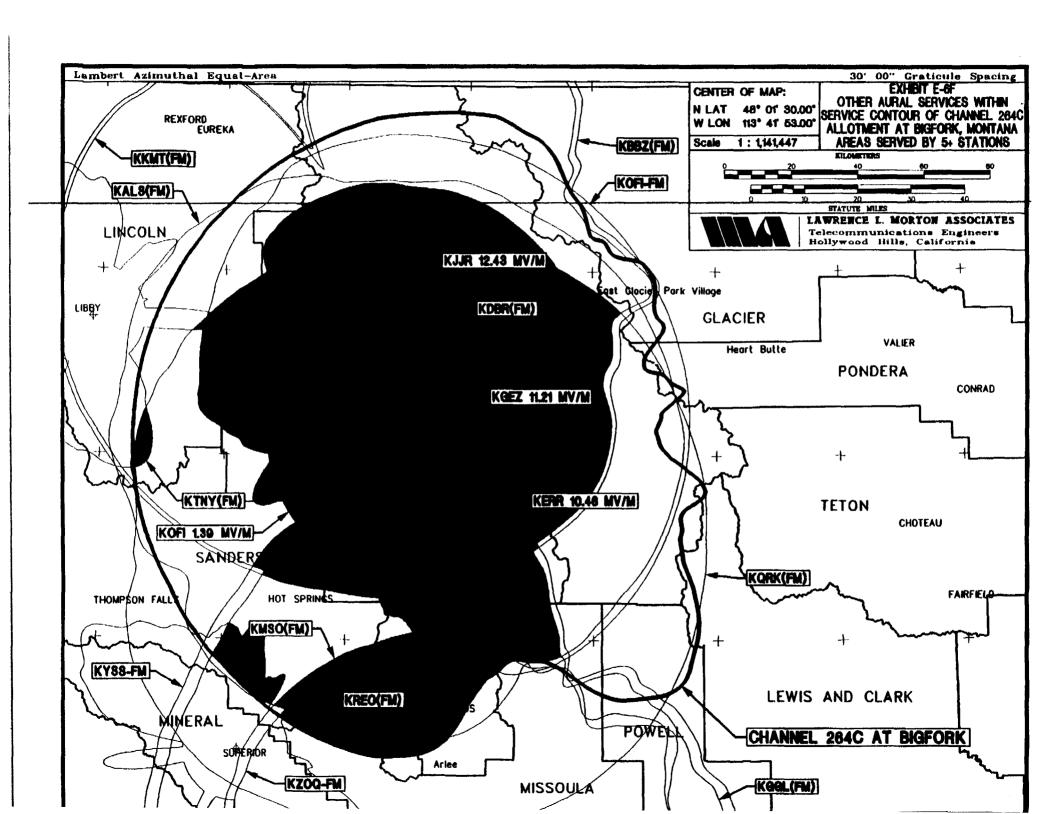


EXHIBIT E-7 OTHER AURAL BROADCAST SERVICES WITHIN CHANNEL 264C SERVICE AREA AT KELLOGG

	SQUARE KALOMETERS				
0	4,097.77	1,582.16	17.32	1,637	1.51
1	2,829.66	1,092.54	11.96	2,176	2.00
2	2,831.91	1,093.41	11.97	1,132	1.04
3	2,100.10	810.85	8.88	4,948	4.55
4	1,885.50	727.99	7.97	1,813	1.67
5	949.18	366.48	4.01	1,943	1.79
6	662.24	255.69	2.80	4,017	3.70
7	728.96	281.45	3.08	2,444	2.25
8	322.42	124.49	1.36	631	0.58
9	262.41	101.32	1.11	881	0.81
10	490.87	189.52	2.07	2,761	2.54
11	379.53	146.54	1.60	1,258	1.16
12	1,294.62	499.86	5.47	3,147	2.90
13	1,667.44	643.80	7.05	7,690	7.07
14	1,447.01	558.69	6.12	5,098	4.69
15	683.18	263.78	2.89	11,974	11.02
16	409.64	158.16	1.73	27,520	25.32
17	346.63	133.84	1.47	21,610	19.88
18	160.60	62.01	0.68	3,592	3.30
19	53.10	20.50	0.22	2,386	2.20
20	55.51	21.43	0.23	39	0.04
21	0.53	0.20	0.00	0	0.00
22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
25+	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
OTALS:	23,658.82	9,134.72	100.0 %	108,697	100.0 %

EXHIBIT E-8 OTHER AURAL BROADCAST SERVICES WITHIN CHANNEL 264C SERVICE AREA AT BIGFORK

	SQUARE				
	KILOMETERS				
0	40.27	15.55	0.16	0	0.00
 1	1,085.28	419.03	4.36	10	0.01
2	1,348.74	520.75	5.41	320	0.38
3	3,861.09	1,490.78	15.50	287	0.34
4	3,818.19	1,474.21	15.33	1,724	2.05
5	3,373.60	1,302.55	13.54	2,912	3.47
6	5,415.20	2,090.82	21.74	10,068	11.99
7	3,909.89	1,509.62	15.69	18,809	22.40
8	1,582.41	610.97	6.35	46,874	55.83
9	445.50	172.01	1.79	2,947	3.51
10	32,51	12.55	0.13	10	0.01
11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
25+	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
OTALS:	24,912.69	9,618.84	100.0 %	83,961	100.0 %

EXHIBIT E-9 OTHER AURAL BROADCAST SERVICES WITHIN CHANNEL 264C SERVICE AREA AT KELLOGG

	CAL LETTERS			
1	KQRK(FM)	RONAN	MT	92.3 MH
2	KZZU-FM	SPOKANE	WA	92.9
3	KGGL(FM)	MISSOULA	MT	93.3
4	KDRK-FM	SPOKANE	WA	93.7
5	KHTQ(FM)	HAYDEN	D	94.5
6	KYSS-FM	MISSOULA	MT	94.9
7	KLER-FM	OROFINO	ID	95.3
8	KPND(FM)	SANDPOINT	D	95.3
9	KKMT(FM)	COLUMBIA FALLS	MT	95.9
10	KNFR(FM)	OPPORTUNITY	WA	96.1
11	KALS(FM)	KALISPELL	MT	97.1
12	KQWK(FM)	WALLACE	ID	97.5
13	KISC(FM)	SPOKANE	WA	98.1
14	KBBZ(FM)	KALISPELL	MT	98.5
15	KKZX(FM)	SPOKANE	WA	98.9
16	KZZL-FM	PULLMAN	WA	99.5
17	KXLY-FM	SPOKANE	WA	99.9
18	KEYF-FM	CHENEY	WA	101.1
19	KTNY(FM)	LIBBY	MT	101.7
20	KTSL(FM)	MEDICAL LAKE	WA	101.9
21	KBIH(FM)	COEUR D'ALENE	ID	102.3
22	KRAO(FM)	COLFAX	WA	102.5
23	KIBR(FM)	SANDPOINT	ID	102.5
24	KCDA(FM)	COEUR D'ALENE	iD	103.1
25	KNJY(FM)	SPOKANE	WA	103.9
26	KHTR(FM)	PULLMAN	WA	104.3
27	KEEH(FM)	SPOKANE	WA	104.7
28	KMJY-FM	NEWPORT	WA	104.9
29	KAEP(FM)	SPOKANE	WA	105.7
30	KZFN(FM)	MOSCOW	ID	106.1
31	KSPO(FM)	DISHMAN	WA	106.5
32	KAZZ(FM)	DEER PARK	WA	107.1
33	KREO(FM)	SUPERIOR	MT	107.5
34	KMBI-FM	SPOKANE	WA	107.9
35	KAQQ	SPOKANE	WA	590. kHz
36	KWAL	WALLACE	ID	620
37	KMJY	NEWPORT	WA	700
38	KJRB	SPOKANE	WA	790
39	KXLY	SPOKANE	WA	920
40	KVNI	COEUR D'ALENE	ŒΙ	1080
41	KOFE	ST. MARIES	ID	1240
42	KGA	SPOKANE	WA	1510

OTHER AURAL BROADCAST SERVICES WITHIN CHANNEL 264C SERVICE AREA AT BIGFORK

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1	KQRK(FM)	RONAN	MT	92.3 MHz
2	KGGL(FM)	MISSOULA	MT	93.3
3	KYSS-FM	MISSOULA	MT	94.9
4	KKMT(FM)	COLUMBIA FALLS	MT	95.9
5	KALS(FM)	KALISPELL	MT	97.1
6	KBBZ(FM)	KALISPELL	MT	98.5
7	KZOQ-FM	MISSOULA	MT	100.1
8	KTNY(FM)	LIBBY	MT	101.7
9	KMSO(FM)	MISSOULA	MT	102.5
10	KOFI-FM	KALISPELL	MT	103.9
11	KDBR(FM)	KALISPELL	MT	106.3
12	KREO(FM)	SUPERIOR	MT	107.5
13	KGEZ	KALISPELL	MT	600. kHz
14	KERR	POLSON	MT	750
15	KJJR	WHITEFISH	MT	880
16	KOFI	KALISPELL	MT	1180

EXHIBIT E-10 OTHER AURAL BROADCAST SERVICES WITHIN CHANNEL 264C SERVICE AREA AT BIGFORK

		Z PH THE CITY		Table and
1	KQRK(FM)	RONAN	MT	92.3 MHz
2	KGGL(FM)	MISSOULA	MT	93.3
3	KYSS-FM	MISSOULA	MT	94.9
4	KKMT(FM)	COLUMBIA FALLS	MT	95.9
5	KALS(FM)	KALISPELL	MT	97.1
6	KBBZ(FM)	KALISPELL	MT	98.5
7	KZOQ-FM	MISSOULA	MT	100.1
8	KTNY(FM)	LIBBY	MT	101.7
9	KMSO(FM)	MISSOULA	MT	102.5
10	KOFI-FM	KALISPELL	MT	103.9
11	KDBR(FM)	KALISPELL	MT	106.3
12	KREO(FM)	SUPERIOR	MT	107.5
13	KGEZ	KALISPELL	MT	600. kHz
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FULL COSPEL

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SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST

Seventh-Day Adventist Church 556-2045 5th & Mullan; Osburn

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

United Church of Christ Congregational 753-6351 408 Codar; Wallace

ographics and Labor Force

County Population	13,931	Services and Fire	24.2
Kellogg	2.591	Government	13.7
Mullan	821		
Myrray/Prichard	93		Largest Employers
Deburn	1,579	(Not ranked by what	
Pinehurst	1,722		des Silver Mountain)
Wallace	1,010	Pirst Health Carc	•
Wardner	246	Good Samaritan Soci	ety
		Hecla Mining	
Smelterville	464	Kellugg Joint School	District
	• .	Mullan School Distric	at ·
Employment % by In	dustry	Shoshone County Go	vernment
Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries	91	Shoshone Medical Co	enter
Mining	2.1 24.1	Silver Valley Laborate	r y
Manufacturing	6.1	Silver Valley Resource	es
Construction	6.3	Sunshine Mining	
Transportation, Utilitie		US Forest Service	Service and American
and Communication	3.5	Wallace Inn	Action of March 18 19 19 19 19 19
Trade	19.8	Wallace School Distri	ict



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KELLOGG SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 391

Canyon Elementary 22 Kellogg Middle School 394 Kellogg High School 511 1628 Total Average Class Size 22

\$3.754 (General Fund) Average expenditure per student

MULIAN SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 392

Enrollment

John Mullan Elementary Mullan High School Jr & Sr.) Total 204 Average Class Size

Average expenditure per student \$6,889 (94/95 General Fund)

WALLACE SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 393

Enrollment: ...

Wallace Klementary
Signate Elementary
Signate Hills Middle School
Wallace High School Silver Valley Alternative High School Total . 808 Average Class Size \$6,412 (94/95 all funds) Average expenditure per student

STATE SALES TAX SON ROOM & BED TAX-2.0%

PERSONAL INCOME TAX

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Average rural profes ty tax in Shoshone County is 1.9 - 2.4% the state of the s



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County Population Kellogg Mullan Murray/Prichard

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Health and Social Indicators

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Nursing Home Beds	177		7. 4	
Accidental Deaths/100,000	35.5	•		•
Teen Pregnancy/1,000	48.2	•		
Marriage Rate/1,000	7.9			·
Divorce Rate/1,000	6.8			•
Lodging Rooms	400			
Crime - Number of Offens	ses 1990	1993	1994	1995
Murder		3	. 1	1 1
Rape	3	10	2	6.
Robbery	3		2	5.
Aggravated Assault	53	35	47	49.
Burglary	172	134	59	183
Ten cental distance of the second	. 366	356	: 147 ms	387.
Motor Yehicle Thef	29	30	147	Yeung bega 49 3
Suicide Rate per 100,000	05.0			
County	35. 9			العمولغ مؤار
State	19.0			

Interstate 90

Interstate 90 serves as the major transportation artery in the northern United States. Traffic on 1-90 has increased steadily as the Pacific Northwest becomes a

major population center.
In 1984, the Idano Department of Transportation conducted a traffic count of the vehicles traveling on 1-90 passing through the Silver Valley. The average daily traffic

count for the typical summer months of July and August was approximately 12,000 vehicles. The everage daily count for a typical winter month such as December and January was approximately 6,500 vehicles.

L. Overall, the strength and the traffic fifth for an entire year prough the saver valley is in the depretation field of 3 to 4 million people.

A consensus reveloped by officials from the IDT and the City of Kellogg was that 40 percent of the vehicles passing through the Silver Valley are commercial and local traffic and 50 percent of the traffic is tourists and cross-country travalers. The average monthly figures for winter and summer would support these estimates. average monthly figures for winter and summer would support these estimates.

The number of vehicles traveling through the Silver Valley continues to grow each year. I-90 has experienced an average annual increase of 5 percent to 10 percent in traffic counts for the past 10 years. And the count is expected to exceed 4 million vehicles.

The average vehicle carrying a family on vacation has 2.7 occupants, according to statistics. If 60 percent of all the vehicles are carrying tourists or cross-country travelers, then 6,750 tourists will be passing through the Silver Valley this year.

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